Crime in Cuba.

BLOOMSBURG, COLUMBIA CO., PA., WEDNESDAY, OCT. 30, 1867.

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STOVE AND TIN SHOP, In this place, where he is prepared to make up new TI? WARE of all kinds in his tine, and do repairing with meanness and dispitch, upon the most reasonable terms, the also keeps on hand STIVES of various patterns and styles, which he will sell upon terms to suit ourchasers.

Give him a "M. He is a good mechanic, and deserving of the unbile patronuge.

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## PLASTER MILL at the PENN PURNACE MILLS, and will offer the public ONE RUNDRED TONS BEST

Novia Scotia White Plaster,

prepared ready for use in quantities to will purchasers, at any time from the first of March next.

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Bloomsharg. Oct. 10, 1806.—dm

L'ORKS HOTEL,

## GEO. W. MAUGER, Proprietor.

The shove well known hotel has recently undergone radical changes in its internal errangements,
and its proprietor announces to his former custom
and the travelling public that his accommodations
for the constart of his guests has second to none in
the country. His inhe will always be found singolied, not only with substantial food, but with alhe delicacies of the season. His wine and liquory
except that popular beverage known as 'Melleary,'
except that popular beverage known as 'Melle June 13, 1860 .- tf.

THE undersigned would most respectfully announce to the public generally, that he is prepared to execute all kinds of MACHINERY, at 1082PH FILARPLESS! POUNDRY, in Bloomsburg, where he an always be found rend; to do all kinds of reputring, including Threshing Machines, and in short, all inds of Farming Unensits. ALSO, TURNING AND TITING UP OF CASTING AND MACHINERY, one on short notice, in a good workmanilke man ser, upos the most reasonable terms.

Ills long experience in the business, as forecan in he shop of Lewis il. Mans of this place, for over the years, warrants him in saying that he can give altern satisfaction to all who may favor him with serie work.

GEORGE HASSERT.

## FALLON HOUSE. HE subscriber having purchased the LOCK HAVEN, Pa-

reperty of E. W. Bigony. Esq., would say to the ieuda of the House, his acquaintances, and the pub-o generally, that he intrads to "keep a Horse, in the accommodations and comforts of a House, in humbly solicits their patronage. J. OFTENKIRK, Late of the Madison House, Philadelphia, Lock Haven, Dec. 26, 1866.

ISS LIZZIE PETERMAN.

Vould announce to the ladics of Bloomsburg and public generally, that she has just received from castien of its her spring and Summer

Stock of MILLINERY GOODS.

naisting of all articles usually found in first class illinory Stores. Her goods are of the best quality ind among the most handsome and cheapest in the narket. Call and cramine them for yourselves. Nobody should purchase the where before examining Miss Paterimas's stock of goods. Honnets made ourser, on the shortest notice, or repaired. Store on Main street, 2s d-or below the store of tendenball & Rupert. endenhail & Rupert, Bloomshurg, May 2, 1866,-16

RUGS, DRUGS, DRUGS. Pure Medicines, at John R. Moyer's Drug Statterer of Main and Market Streets. A good asset

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for any reliable patent medicines, call at Moyer's ing Store. Leather of all kinds, wholesale and retail, ut[J. R. syer's Drug Store, Bloomsburg, Pa. hay 2, 1806.—17. NATIONAL FOUNDRY.

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For the Democrat THE TRIUMPH.

BY RAVEN.

Hark! how the joyful tidings role, From every city, town and ville Where Freemen still their ballots pole, And thus the place of Freemen till. CHORUS:

They come! They come! is still the cry, For Sharswood and Democracy, O! lift the Keystone banner high, And shout a glorious victory.

As on the growing numbers swell,
'Till huadreds mark the winning score,
And hundred yet, are bound to tell,
We've triumphed as in days of yore.

We've triumphed, not by lawless might Or treading freedom in the dust. We've robbed no freeman of his right. Or at him bristling bayonet thrust. We've bound no man in Iron chains,

Nor thrust him into prison holes, That we might live upon his gains, Or keep him from Election polls-

The common law has been our guide, We've fought the battle on the square, With Truth and Justice on our side, We're bound to win another year.

W've Tryumphed, thanks to God, at last The clouds begin to disappear. We sing the reign of terror past, And hail a glorious future near

## Wouldn't Take Twenty Dollars.

Some waggish student at Yale College, a few years since, were regaling themselves one evening at the "Tontine," when an old farmer from the country entered the room (taking it for the bar-room) and inquired if he could obtain lodging. The young chaps immediately answered in the affirmative inviting him to take a glass of punch. The old fellow, who was a shrewd Yankee, saw at once that he was to be made the butt of their jests, but quietly laying off his hat and their jests, but quietly laying oil his hat and to receive, prompt payment of the public telling a worthless little dog he had with debt as it fells due in the local tonders of kind of work would be nothing new to Stan him to lie under the chair, he took a glass of the proffered beverage. The students auxiously inquired after the health of the old man's wife and children, and the farmer, with affected simplicity, gave them the whole pedigree, with numerous anecdotes about his farm, stock &c.

"Do you belong to the church?" asked one of the wags.

"Yes, the Lord be praised, and so my father before me.' "Well, I suppose you would not tell

lie?" replied the student. "Not for the world," added the farmer. "Now what will you take for that dog?" pointing to the farmer's cur, who was not

worth his weight in Jersey mud. "I would not take twenty dollars for that

"Twenty dollars? why, he is not twenty cents." "Well, I assure you I would not take twenty dollars for him."

"Come my friend," said the student, who with his companions was bent on having some capital fun with the old man. "Now you say you won't tell a lie for the world, let me see if you will not do it for twenty dollars. I'll give you twenty dollars for your dog.

"I'll not take it," replied the farmer

won't tempt you to tell a lie," added the student, producing a small bag of half dollars, from which he counted small piles on the table, where the farmer sat with his hat in his hand, apparently unconcerned-"There," added the student, "there are twent; dollars all in silver. I will give you that for your dog."

The old farmer quietly raised his hat the edge of the table, and then as quick as thought scraped all the money into it except one half dollar, at the same time exclaiming, "I won't take your twenty dollars Nineteen and a half is as much as the dog is worth-he is your property !"

A tremendous laugh from his students showed the would be wag that he was completely "done up." and that he need not look for help from that quarter; so he good naturedly acknowledged beat, insisted on the old farmer taking another glass, and they parted in great glee-the student retaining his dog, which he keeps to this day, as a lesson to him never to attempt to play tricks on men older than himself, and especially to be careful how he tried to wheedle a Yankee farmer.

A man stopping his paper, wrote to the editor: I think fokes ottent spend their nunnie fur papur, my daddy didnt and he was the most intelligentest man in the country and hed the smartest famly ov bois that ever dugged tuturs."

Candidate for the next Presidency of the United States—The Uncurnati Enquirer presents the name of George H. Pendle-ton as the choice of the Ohio Democracy —His Popularity in the Nothwest.

CINCINNATI, October 21.-The Cincinnati Enquirer to-morrow will present the name of George H Pendleton as the choice of the Democracy of Ohio and the Northwest, as the candidate for the next Presidency of the United States. The Enquirer has enjoyed great celebrity as being the lead-

ing organ of Douglas in 1860. In about six months the National Convention of the Democratic party will meet for the purpose of selecting candidates for the Presidency and Vice-Presidency of the United States. In common with the Democracy of other States, our friends in Ohio have a preference, and that preference we propose to express. It is a preference that none who know the sentiment of our people, who have seen it manifested in many different ways in the local press, private letters, and in political conventions, will dispute. In the name of the victorious Democracy of Ohio, who but the other day sent greeting to the Democracy of the Union that Ohio was redeemed from the rule of fanaticism; that she had vindicated the Constitution and arrested the bold career of men who have been trampling son, Hon. George H. Pendleton, to the let the humane and considerate Mr. Holt, for the high office of President. He is not Kentucky, who will send a full delegation manship of the virtuous and exalted Sumfor him to the National Convention. Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, and Minnesota will not be behind Ohio and Kentucky in their devotion to Ohio's noble and trusted statesman. He is, by all odds, the strongest can- white men, closing up with a learned disdidate in the Northwest; we have reason to streation showing that the rebellion has combelieve in the United States. He possesses in a great degree, the Democratic popular and really count on Brigadier-General Holt. confidence which was given to Stephen A. Judge Advocate-General of the United Douglas, and upon him has fallen in the Northwest the mantle of that eminent man, a gentleman, scholar and statesman, whose ple are running astray-absolutely running history and character are known to the country, and everywhere recognized and re- present rate of speed, before they will come spected by all parties. In the very prime of his life, with a mind inured to cultivation and study, with habits of a profound thinker, experience of a tried legislator, eminently sound in judgment, eloquent in the expression of his thoughts, candid in tween a lawyer and general-not much of his political views, with an integrity that was never questioned, he is that model of President which we had in the early days of might be well for Congress by special act to the republic. With him as our candidate, standing upon a platform of the Constitution, equal justice to all sections of our common country, with equality to all the special the nation, immediate restoration of the Southern States to the Union, with their full share of the representatives in both branches of the government, as guaranteed by the Constitution, and universal amnesty for all political offences; with such a platform, and George H. Pendleton as its ex-

date for the opposition. A CURIOUS LOVE STORY .-- A very curious story is told by several of the ancient wri- and how he kept in the war Department, ters respecting Egirvard, a secretary to and how he came to write the veto of the Charlemagne, and a daughter of the er.pe- tenure-of-office bill, and then how he got ror. The secretary fell in love with the princess, who at length allowed him to visit Stanton, we remember, is not much of a her. One winter's night he stayed with her very late, and in the meantime a deep They say he was a sort of detective ; but we snow had fallen. If he left, his foot marks would be observed and yet to stay would expose him to danger. At length the princess resolved to carry him on her back to a neighbering house, which she did. It happened however, that from the window in his bed-

ponent, we will sweep Ohio by 50,000 ma-

jority, and also the country, as we did with

Franklin Pierce in 1852, when the Conquer-

er of Mexico, General Scott, was a candi-

lowing day, when Egirvard and his daughter were present, he asked what ought "You will not? Here, let us see if this to be done to the man who compelled a kings daughter to carry him on her shoulders, through frost and snow, in the middle of a winter's night? The lovers were alarmed, but the emperor addressing Egirvard said : "Had'st thou loved my daughter thou shouldst have come to me; thou art worthy of death, but I give thee two lives. Take thy fair porter in marriage : fear God, and

love one another. of Mr. Caleb, in Elk Neck, and asked for milk. Having drank freely, she left and last, when Jas, E. Oldham, Esq., in crossing Caleb's cornfield, was attracted by the tumbled condition of some of the shocks, which on examination, proved to have been arranged in a kind of a tent. Making search, he found in a neighboring gully, the same woman then taking refuge under a brier bush. She seemed quite wild, and talked so incoherently that nothing can be found out of her origin. Her accent is Irish. The constable of the 5th district had been apprised of her condition and it was supposed would take measures to have her removed to the Alms House, though at latest accounts he

ing ladies? They want carrying out.

Retributive Justice. There is a terrible sting in retributive justice. When the judgments of passion and malevolence come back to be executed upon those who fulminate them; when the insolent official is suddenly hurled from his high place, and made to occupy the seat of to take his seat in either House of Congress. There was sufficient insolence in the declaras unfit for association, with Sumner, Butdown in the scale; but to see the full force of the speech we must remember that Mr. do the voting for the proscribed Democracy. the honor of presenting the claims of Ohio's cast into the Republican graveyard. Now Democracy of the country as Ohio's choice and the kind hearted Stanton, give us a funeral eulogy. The former should be cononly Ohio's choice, but he is the favorite of fined to the character, services, and statesner, with a by-play reference to the conservative nature of military over civil government, the supremacy of Congress under Republican rule, the great inferiority of the menced. We are fond of light literature, States Army, to give us something wonderfully like himself in this matter. The peoastray. It will not be five years at their to the conclusion that trial by jury, a free press, and free speech and civil government are respectable and even essential elements in our Democratic system. The Judge Advocate-General, who is a sort of cross beeither-might easily convince Congress that we are in a state of war all this time, and it make it perpetual. This would give ground for restoring Mr. Stanton and putting out the President. War would go far to justify a total disregard of the Ohio elections, and

> down together. At all events, let us hear Stanton on Wade and Chandler and Ashley and Caker, the detective, and Baker's book, caught and went out of the Department. talking man. He keeps his own counsel .think this is not true. There was no need of such work from him; and then he was so known and hated by everybody, he never could have made himself an effective detective. - National Intelligencer. MRS. LINCOLN'S EXPOSE,-The New

room the emperor saw the whole affair. In the assembly of his lords on the fol-

A WILD WOMAN. - On Monday evening last, an old woman went to the farm house was no more thought of, till on Thursday had not arrived .- Cecil Democrat,

Why are good resolutions like faint

The Havanna correspondent of the New Orleans Picayune gives a terrible picture of erime in Cuba. He says : Mr. Chinchilla, Postmaster-General, has had an awful tragedy enacted last Sunday evening at his residence, which nearly cost the criminal; that is retributive justice! him the forfeit of his life. One of his sisters-It was Mr Wade,, if we remember rightly, in-law and her mother had been residing who a few short weeks ago proclaimed that with his family for some time; the former, no Democrat would, hereafter, be permitted a young widow, was about marrying a second time. She owned a mulatto about sev enteen years of age, who had been brought ation itself, but Mr. Wade is not a man to up in the family, and was of a very prepo leave unsaid anything to give point to his sessing appearance. His mistress took i speech. He declared the Democracy a into her head to sell him off before marrygeneration of vipers, and denounced them ing, for which purpose she placed him in the hands or a negro broker, to try and soll ler, Stevens, and the erudite Colfax. That him to some planter. This, of course, was was putting the Democrats sufficiently low not tasteful to the slave. Having acquired city habits, and run away from said broker, he came to his mistress determined to re Wade had set up the negroes of Ohio to monstrate and demand, according to our slave statute, a license for three days to find At length we have the result of the issue, a master in the city. She would not grant Mr. Wade himself is stricken down, and this just demand, from some particular all his negro constituency has gone down reasons, and ordered him out of her preswith him. What he denounced for others ence, when the mulatto, who had prepared has fallen upon his own devoted head. He himself with a poinard, stabbed her over and the negroes are left out, and the De- the right shoulder blade, severing the main mocracy come in. Summer and Wade and artery and causing almost instant death. S evens and Ashley and Chandler and But. The fiend then went to her mother, and upon the rights and liberties of the people ler have all gone down together. What a stabbed her three times; directly he made -iu their name, we, this day, seize upon precious brood of martyrs the Radicals have straight to Mrs. Chinchilla's room with the intent of killing her also, when Mr. Chinchilla threw himself between the assassin and her, received a dangerous wound, thereby saving her life. His blood thirst being satisfied, he ran down stairs, and as the doorkeeper tried to prevent his going out of the house wounded him on the shoulder. The alarm being given, he was chased and eaught, a short distance off, and taken to iail where he confused his guilt, and apfate. All the other parties wounded are doing well. It is the general impression there are good grounds for a smart lawyer was murdered by a negro (slave), at 10 A. M. on Calla Concordia. In Cardenas there has been another bloody. ragedy between a lover and his affianced, which from some cause unknown, almost we doubt not Stanton might be induced to of Government bonds to the amount of

ton, who sent thousands of our people to

prison, and enabled his detectives to make

some of the most complete and profitable

operations or raids upon individuals inspir-

ed, of course, by a loyal regard for the great

Union cause, that has ever been performed

since the days of La Fitte, the pirate. We

say to the Republicans, you are never safe

separated from your leaders-and we bring

the matter directly down to Stanton. You

must have him back, or you must all go

York Citizen takes this view of the sub-

the political favors and places obtained and

given away by Mrs. Lincoln's influence with

the light of personal perquisites, to be dis-

posed of either for presents or flattery, as

the whim might seize her. She can now

only go one step farther. Let her take up

each present, state from whom received,

and, further, label it with a memorandum

of the probable profits in place, or on some

shoddy contract, or permit to buy cotton

which the presenter must have netted. In

this manner we think it might be found

that the actual value returned by Mrs. Lin-

coln's influence to a gentleman who pre-

sented her with a carriage and a pair of

norses-certainly not costing over two

thousand dollars, all told-must have been

in the vicinity of at least Four Hundred

Thousand Dollars; and very likely a simi-

lar exhibit might show that every shawl,

and dress, and article of jewelry in her col-

lection, must have been paid for (finally by

WANTED TIME .- Boss, I want twenty-

er. Twenty-five cents! how soon do you

want it, Jake ? Next Tuesday for the Cir-

must give me at least four weeks' notice.

the country,) at the same extravagant rate.'

ner husband were regarded by that lady in

"The letters are all but a confession

ject of Mrs. Lincoln's sale :

butchered her to death; he is waiting safely in prison the result of the lady's injuries. heard of in modern times. Mr. Lincoln's Loyalty.

The friends of the "late lamented," those who persist in according to him more patriotism and virtue than even Washington possessed, have recently discovered by an official statement of the worldly affairs of the great martyr at the time of his "taking sideration the fact that the bonds in question are subject to no taxation whatever, and that the laboring community are taxed exorbitantly to pay an interest in gold equal to nine per cent. on the loyal Lincoln's bonds, it becomes a question with us as to who is the loyal man-he who boasts of and measures his loyalty by the amount of his bonds, or he who submits quietly to inorbitant taxation that the government may be enabled to pay such loyal leeches an interest in gold. We doubt whether Mr. Lincoln would have died possessed of Government bonds to the amount of one dollar, had they been subject, like other property to taxation. The true patriot stops not to count the cost of his patriotism, but freely gives his accumulated wealth, however great or small, for the defence of his country. How many such patriots can we boast of in the late conflict? The truly loyal men were those who stood by the Constitution, every article of which was repudiated by our Radical rulers. and outside of whice Mr. Stevens boasts of acting; and the day is not far distant when the people, who have been duped and misled, will so declare from one end of the con-

tinent to the other. JUDGE KELLY'S RECORD.-The New York Mercury recently published a letter of his gold-paying bonds, as is the case just written by Mr. John Griffin to Judge Kelly, in the early part of 1866 as follows :

I have known you since the year of 1829 or 1830; have known you when you were studying law with Colonel Page; knew you when you were a vilent Jackson, anti-bank, anti-Whig, anti-Clay, and a strong Calhoun and pro-slavery man, of the most copperhead kind ; I knew you when you were one of Fanny Wright's followers-an atheist of the most "damnable kind; I knew you when you were leader of the Philadelphia church burners in 1844-yourself and Lewis C. Levin ; I knew you when you wanted to burn down churches that your father worshipped at, and where you received your name at the baptismal font. All this you would have done, were it not for the gallant few, General Patterson, General Cadwalader, ex-Mayor Swift, Josiah Randall, and last, not least, Colonel DuSolle, all Protestant gentlemen, all Americans, with the exception of Patterson, an honest Presbyterian of '98. You are a renegade in relig ion as well as in politics, and a disgrace to the name and memory of your honest father and kindred.

ive cents, said a jour printer to his employ-That man is poor who cannot pay his debts, though he has thousands in his possession; that man is rich who "owes no man ought but love," though he eats his corned beef from a pine table in a log cabin, kept clean by industry. cus. As soon as that? you can't get it. I have told you so often that when you were in want of so large a sum of money you

# I'VE NO MOTHER NOW, I'M WEEPING.

I've no mother now, I'm weeping She has left me here alone— She beneath the sod is sleeping, Now there is no joy at home: Tears of sorrow long have started, Her bright smiles no more I'll see. All the lov'd ones, too, have parted. Where! oh where! is joy for me? CHORUS:

Weeping, lonely, she has left me here Weeping, lonely, for my mother dear.

Oh, how well I do remember,
"Take this little flower," said she;
"And when with the dead I'm numbered,
Place it at my grave for me."
Dearest mother, I am sighing,
On thy tomb I drop a tear, For the little plant is dying; Now I feel so lonely here.

I've no mother; still I'm weeping, Tears my furrowed cheek now lave, Whilst a lonely watch I'm keeping O'er her sad and silent grave. Soon I hope will be our meeting. Then the gladness none can tell. Who for me will then be weeping, When I bid this world farewell?

"Any Port in a Storm." Radicals everywhere now agree upon the eccessity of nominating General Grant for the Presidency. A month ago, and before the "Manhood Suffrage" party could be equality and suffrage would be repudiated by the States of Ohio and Pennsylvania, they were not prepared to take "a pig in a poke," as they called it, but rather favored the nomination of a thorough-bred Radical like Stevens, or Kelley, or Sumner, or Wade miserable pettifogging politicians as Bill Mann and others of his ilk in this city.--

Sunday Mercury. Now and Then. On the evening of the late election, when it was discovered that the people had repudiated the leaguers and their isms, great privileges to none, the same currency for privileges to none, the same currency for annul them by proclamation—appointing bondholders that the people are compelled bondholders that the people are compelled Wade to his old place in the Senate. This was taken into constitution of the public with the people are compelled bondholders that the people are compelled with the people are compelled with the people are compelled bondholders that the people are compelled with the people are compelled bondholders that the people are compelled with the people are compelled bondholders that the people are compelled with the people are compelled with the people are compelled bondholders that the people are compelled with the people are compelled with the people are compelled bondholders that the people are compelled with ards, did not venture upon the public streets unles accompanied at a safe distance by a police officer. The North American, edited by that "good old man," Mayor McMichael. was protected by the energetic Goldev and a squad of his officers, and it was amusing to witness the "fear and trembling" of the great American fisherman and his aids. when they heard the triumphant march of the Democracy approaching the office. He feared violence at the hands of an outraged people, on the principle that "conscience makes cowards of us all;" he need not have feared, the men who qui etly submitted to the abuse and slander of his foul sheet for six long years, could not be recompensed by game so small. With them, "the hour of victory was the hour of magnanimity." But how was it three years ago? Who came to the protection of the Mercury office when attacked by the Radical roughs with cobble stones? Did the valiant Goldey consider it his duty to march up a squad of police officers to protect us? Oh, no; we were for the Constitution, and our rights under that instrument, and therefore disloyal. The time will come, however, when a man's lovalty will be measured by

> now .- Sunday Mercury. RECEIPT FOR FITS .- Though no doctor I have by me some excellent prescriptions, and shall charge you nothing for them; you cannot grumble at the price. We are most of us subject to fits; I am visited with them myself, and I dare say you are

his veneration for and devotion to the Con-

stitution of his country, not by the number

also. Now, then for prescriptions : For a fit of passion, walk in the open air you may speak to the wind without hurting any one, or proclaiming yourself to be a

For a fit of idleness, count the ticklings of a clock. Do this for one hour, and you will be glad to pull off your coat the next time and work like a horse.

For a fit of extravagance or folly go t the workhouse, or speak with the ragged and wretched inmates of a jail, and you will be convinced-

"Who maketh his bed of briar and thorn, Must be content to lie forlorn.

For a fit of ambition, go into a church yard and read the grave-stones. They will tell you the end of ambition. The grave will soon be your chamber-bed, the earth your pillow, corruption your father, and the

worm your mother and sister.

For a fit of repining, look about for the halt and the blind, and visit the bed-ridden and afflicted and deranged, and they will make you ashamed of complaining of your lighter afflictions.

#### EDUCATION OF WOMEN. The Newark Evening Journal says that

the more actual and glaring wrongs of that

much suffering "other sex," is the veto that custom has placed upon liberal educations such as it is to be obtained only in the universities and colleges of the country. There seems to be a prevailing scepticism in the minds of the majority of men respecting the propriety and necessity of highly educating women; but there are, on the other hand, those who lament the fact that this mothers, wives and daughters of this age do not possess those intellectual attainments which distinguished the ladies of the period preceding the Elizabethian age, when Lord Bacon's mother translated sermons on free will into Grock, and his nunt wrote original verses in Latin hexameters. At that time the Latin and Greek languages were the only languages that possessed much of a literature, and Latin was to Europe at that day what French is to this. The vast stores of English, French and German literature now accessible had not then been developed But it is not impossible for a woman to be an excellent housekeeper and an equally excellent scholar. Why has she not as good It is wonderful with what unanimity the a right as her brother to read Plato or Virgil -as good a right as her husband to make her life a happier one by drawing upon the resources of literature of every kind ?-There is no I as ible claim which one person made believe that their pet idea of negro | who wears a coat and pantaloons may have upon the privileges accorded to the student at our universities, which another one in petticoats and bonnet has not also upon such institutions of learning, or some other especially designed for her wants and requirements. The State gives her the same rights -drunken Ben. Wade, we mean-in order at the district school and the academy to compel the people of the North, as well are accorded to her brother. By what rule as the South, to submit to negro rule. The of equity or consistency does it exclude her late elections have convinced the wire-pull- from such advantages at a certain point, and peared perfectly resolved to meet the worst ers that they are on the wrong track, so they dismiss her to the household? Opinions gracefully veer around in the face of the may differ as to the intrinsic value of a libwind, and run off before it, with a certainty, eral education ; but surely there can be but that he will not be condemned to death, as as they think, of making that haven towards little room for doubting that if the State which all politicians turn their longing eyes, deems it best to provide such for boys within to plead. The following day another lady success. In order to do so the more effect- its borders, it ought not to deny it to its ually, they make a scape-goat of, and bawl, girls. A higher education for a woman lustily for the man who, of all others, they raises the standard in the family she rears. would not have chosen one month ago. If By this means she becomes an important and anything more was required by the people to powerful agent in diffusing a liberal educa convince them that the Republican leaders | tion among the masses, and will thus in time think more of power and patronage than elevate the whole mental structure, and will they do of the prosperity and elevation of help to place at the command of the many Our criminal record surpasses anything the country, this last dodge should be suffi- what is now only within the grasp of the cient. Let the people take this matter of few. The policy which would deny woman President-making out of the hands of such the right to a liberal education is one of those relies of barbarism which deserves the condemnation of all thinking persons. And we are glad to observe a disposition in the reformatory spirit of the time to do away

> The West, which often before has been the pioneer in the march of social progress has taken the initiatory step towards forwarding the liberal educational interests in regard to women. Mr. Childs, of the Michgan State Senate, has done himself credit by presenting to that body a bill to establish an institution of learning to be called the Michigan Female College. The government of the school is to be vested in the Board of Regents of the University. They are empowered to receive proposals for the donation of suitable lands with building, or with the means of creeting buildings at Lansing. The site shall not contain less than twenty acres, and the buildings, or their equivalent in money, shall amount in value to fifty thousand dollars. The college is to furnish the young women of that State with the means of acquiring a thorough knowledge of the various bronches of literature science and art. The admission fee to the regular college course shall not exceed ten dollars. Those from that State who desire to pursue a more general course of study are to be admitted free; and the daughter of any soldier who died in the United States service during the rebellion, shall pay no fee whatever. No charge for tuition will be made to the young women of that State .-The fees for others are to be regulated by the Regents. The Regents have the power to elect and remove the officers of the col lege, determine their salaries, and have the same general management which they now exercise over the University; and in providing the course of instruction, prescribing the books and authorities, and conferring the diplomas

How long will it be before Pennsylvania and her sister States shall follow the example so worthily set the whole country by Michigan-?

A GREAT NATURAL CURIOSITY .- Itis an andoubted fact that mermaids are numerous in the Knaw river in Kansas. Last week a party of young men out hunting, came suddenly across six mermaids who were disporting themselves in the water.

On the approach of the young men the beautiful creatures "lit out" for the woods, uttering shrill cries somewhat resembling the screams of frightened school gir's.

A story is told of a "country gentleman" who for the first time heard an Episcopal clergyman preach. He had read much of the aristocracy and pride of the church, and when he returned home he was asked if the people ware stuck up. "Pshaw! no," he replied ; "why the minister actually preached in his shirt sloeves."

Ber Henry Ward Boecher, in a sermon delivered recently, said that more public men of eminence had started from the business of type setting than from probably any other occupation.